### **CHAPTER NO. 18**

## **SENATE BILL NO. 390**

#### By Kurita

Substituted for: House Bill No. 576

## By Sontany, Langster, Bowers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-201, relative to assisted-care living facilities and residents.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-201(5)(B), is amended by deleting subdivision (iv) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(iv) Requires the routine administration of oxygen; provided, however, with respect to this requirement, no such documented history of self-care for a person's medical condition for at least one (1) year shall be required for the continued stay of an assisted-care living facility resident;

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: March 24, 2003** 

APPROVED this 11th day of April 2003

PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR